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OUR STANDARD-BEARERS.
For President:
WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN,
OF NEBRASKA.
For Vice-President:
ADLAI E. STEVENSON,
OF ILLINOIS.

Col. James A. Hoyt Jr., in severing his connection with his father's paper The Greenville Mountaineer, to return to his labors as one of the members of the Columbia State staff, fires at Governor, a parting salute which is full of misrepresentation bitterness and gall. Here is what he says:

With this issue of The Mountaineer my connection with the paper again is severed and in a few days it is the intention to return to the field of labor which was left three months ago. The line of work is the same and while the field in Columbia is broader and the opportunities greater, it is only with sincere regret that I leave Greenville, where the surroundings are so pleasant and the friends so numerous.
The recent campaign at the last moment took a rather bitter turn, which was deplored by none so much as myself, but it was not the fault of Col. Hoyt or his campaign managers that this was so. We regret nothing that we have said or done during the whole campaign.

I am proud to have been able to take an active part in the fight against the most monstrous and most despicable whiskey machine which has ever disgraced a sovereign State by its rule, corruption and infamy. If the good people of South Carolina could only realize how they are being deceived and what practices are being used to forward men and measures in this State, they would revolt. It is only by personal contact or personal opposition to the whiskey machine that its power and its methods can at present be understood. There will surely come a day when this gigantic fraud will be exploded and a purer political atmosphere be obtained. In hastening the approach of that day, I shall deem it an honor to have even a small part to regard it as a pleasant duty to devote my best efforts to that end. The fight seems hopeless, because it has again been lost when the prospect was brightest, but the fight will not be abandoned as long as there remains in South Carolina men who love honor above money, who value patriotism above policy, and who do not fear to face odds for the sake of right. There are such men and they intend to keep up the fight until the many good people on the other side join the opposition, as they will soon or late. I am sure of this. It is only for personal aggrandizement or personal satisfaction, and it is actuated not by malice or pique but by unselfish motives. The defeat of one man is merely an incident, which teaches its own lesson. "The Octopus must go," JAS. A. HOYT, JR.

This young man it will be remembered, was one of those whom Governor McSweeney honored with the appointment as a member of his staff—a position which is supposed to be held only by close personal friends. Hoyt went through the entire campaign with Governor McSweeney's commission in his inside pocket, and accepted the salutes as "Colonel" with much pride, now that his papa has been defeated he gets sour and shows an ugly temper. However if James A. Hoyt Jr., believes that Governor McSweeney is not among that class of men "who love honor above money," or that he cannot be classed with those "who value patriotism above policy," he should sever his confidential relations with so vile a wretch at once, and carry back the commission he so fondly accepted, return it, and tell the governor that he can not serve in the position of a close personal friend to a man who is the representative of a "monstrous and most despicable whiskey machine which has ever disgraced a sovereign State by its rule of corruption and infamy." James A. Hoyt Jr., with self respect can no longer where the Colonel's uniform, he must renounce the title. The election is over and we are glad of it, for we honestly believe there has been much harm done in the past campaign, many sins will have to be atoned for, and the sins were not confined to the ordinary voter either. Those who advocated a spirit of revenge, have, by their action, shaken the confidence of many people, and it will take a long time to restore their usefulness. We are therefore glad that the thing is over before more harm was done.

The estimated damage to property by the Galveston storm is estimated at over \$20,000,000. The loss of life runs up to nearly 4000.

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be restored. However, cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous lining.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.
J. F. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Governor McSweeney is constantly receiving letters of congratulation not only from men in South Carolina, but many ladies are expressing their gratification at governor's magnificent success.

The Columbia State made a bitter fight against the election of Governor McSweeney, all because it does not agree with that officer on the liquor question, and now we hope that it will put aside its prejudice, and give its aid and influence towards helping Governor McSweeney in giving the people a first class administration. We hope the liquor question will be relegated to the rear now, and that matters of more importance to the material welfare of the State will be taken up.

When the General Assembly convenes Clarendon will have a candidate for the office of State Librarian, in the person of Miss Lucie Barron, and if there is any sign in the present indications, this worthy lady will be successful. Miss Barron has had the advantage of a training which makes her specially fitted for that office, and if chosen she will carry into that department thoroughness and ability. Miss Barron is the peer of any lady in the State, and the General Assembly will do well in selecting her for this very important position.

Bryan continues to keep the Republicans guessing what will be the outcome of the wonderful demonstrations that are being made by the people in receiving the Democracy's great leader. Wherever he goes tremendous crowds greet him with enthusiasm, and many who heretofore believed that Bryan had no chance of winning, are beginning to believe that in the November election he will poll a majority vote.

The shut-downs in the coal mines is having a demoralizing effect upon the laboring element and it will be felt in the coming election. There are today many thousands of voters out of employment, and the McKinley administration is being held accountable for it. The Republicans are doing their utmost to push the money question to the front to scare capital, but they are having up-hill work of the job. Trusts and imperialism is what is doing them up, and they are beginning to realize their plight.

Senator Tillman has given out an interview in which he displays one of two things, his utter ignorance of the mandates of the constitution of the Democratic party, or a desire to go backwards and bring back the old factional feeling which all agree is not for the best. He said two years hence "the dispensary people will be asked to hold a convention and nominate a ticket just like the Prohibitionists did," and further on in the interview he said such a nomination would be only a "suggestion" that he, "was suggested by the March convention." Senator Tillman was "suggested" by a March convention when there was nothing in the constitution preventing such action, the same may be said of the nomination of Governor Shepperd two years later, but the convention of 1894, realizing the strife created by these preliminary conventions, put its foot down on them by requiring a pledge of candidates that they are not, nor will they become the candidate of any faction either publicly or privately suggested. We therefore do not see how Senator Tillman can propose a convention to "suggest" a dispensary candidate, unless he expects the State Executive Committee to always be made up of men who are afraid to place a positive construction on the language of the constitution. The Prohibitionists clearly violated the party constitution by "suggesting" a candidate but the committee only half way said so, leaving it in a condition to be doubly construed, and hence we had a factional fight. If Senator Tillman will read the constitution of the party he will be better informed as to its requirements, and he will not propose factional nominations.

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Official Returns of Second Primary.

	Gover- nor.	Lieut. Gov.	R. R. Com.	Con- gress.	Legis- lature.	Sheriff.	Aud'it'r.	Super- visor.	Supt Educa- tion.	Coroner.	Magist. at Man- ning.	Magist. in Sa- lem.												
NAMES OF CLUBS.	M. B. McSweeney.	Jas A. Hoyt.	J. H. Tillman.	John T. Sloan.	W. D. Evans.	J. H. Wharton.	R. B. Scarborough.	James Norton.	W. J. Turbeville.	I. M. Woods.	J. Elbert Davis.	E. B. Gamble.	E. G. Dickson.	W. H. Trescott.	T. C. Owens.	C. F. Jenkinson.	L. L. Wells.	Jeff. M. Davis.	W. T. Tobias.	W. A. Brewer.	W. H. H. Hobbs.	S. M. Youmans.	J. P. Turbeville.	H. P. Gibbon.
Farmers' Platform	163	60	144	78	140	80	116	114	114	102	94	136	135	96	132	99	144	99	147	88	116	100
Cross Roads	3	37	29	42	26	15	55	19	4	23	43	14	15	9	38	13	16	22	7	17	12	...	...
Coreston	1	28	9	1	1	2	2	29	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	65	35	
New Zion	30	20	22	25	25	12	46	8	4	2	4	24	24	35	35	15	32	10	40	26	22	...	...
Panola	12	20	13	14	7	5	26	5	4	27	26	6	4	4	24	29	9	21	11	15	19	...	...
Silver	15	23	7	28	15	23	30	8	15	22	20	18	14	24	24	29	6	11	27	...	...	...	...
Fulton	43	16	46	13	47	12	29	28	33	26	33	7	28	12	7	46	33	20	8	...	...	39	17
New Town	40	1	40	40	1	1	1	39	33	7	28	12	28	12	11	29	17	23	10	20	...	...	...
Doctor Swamp	113	29	131	11	116	28	65	89	97	45	64	81	29	116	162	43	72	73	62	82	...	...	...
Packville	17	20	19	17	13	24	28	8	3	33	35	12	14	33	32	5	31	6	26	10	4	33
Harmony	126	5	130	1	122	9	42	89	104	27	54	77	32	39	47	82	115	16	56	73	...	...	...
Douglas	46	9	50	4	46	9	12	43	22	18	37	35	35	30	23	37	28	27	28	...	...	...	...
Forest Reform	30	43	23	50	10	63	67	8	14	11	12	35	17	44	30	21	22	51	30	43	...	...	...
Summerton	41	6	43	5	21	27	6	43	28	10	41	7	24	25	17	32	33	16	12	37	43	...	...
White	41	41	19	41	28	34	52	11	16	46	41	41	32	40	28	34	37	25	44	18	14	4
Alcolu	50	13	61	4	48	17	130	34	9	55	43	11	33	35	10	12	53	16	49	...	...	...	...
Davis Station	9	33	6	35	17	24	38	4	17	19	22	17	21	21	25	7	36	5	34	8	11	25
Clarendon	79	9	46	22	43	23	36	22	9	30	30	38	34	37	47	31	16	21	21	...	...	...	...
Midway	12	42	13	42	18	36	47	8	72	37	43	19	27	26	18	45	9	31	24	19	28	...	...
Manning	26	12	27	11	36	2	25	10	10	33	15	15	32	6	25	13	15	22	...	...	...	...	...
Jordan	10	10	21	7	25	3	12	16	3	23	11	16	11	17	28	...	10	18	11	16	22	6	...	
Black River	7	23	9	21	19	11	29	1	6	22	16	14	24	6	10	20	14	16	13	17	6	23
Fork	32	7	41	4	27	18	25	20	15	29	11	34	25	20	19	26	27	17	3	42	...	...	...
West Clarendon	508	466	1047	502	977	580	891	679	718	730	766	769	892	775	907	661	622	650	726	847	235	276	205	138

The following are elected: Woods, Davis, Dickson, Owens, Wells, Brewer, Youmans, and Turbeville Magistrate in Salem.
J. ELBERT DAVIS, County Chairman.

Does it Pay to Buy Cheap?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the ONLY remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes expectoration, gives good night's rest, and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. For sale by the R. B. Loryea Drug Store, Isaac M. Loryea, Propr. b

A mouse is afraid of a man, a man is afraid of a woman, and a woman is afraid of a mouse.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. H. H. H.*

Marriage is a committee of two, with discretionary powers to increase their number.

Keep Quiet

and use Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for all ailments of the stomach and all unnatural looseness of the bowels. It always cures. For sale by The R. B. Loryea Drug Store, Isaac M. Loryea, Propr. b

When the drop curtain in a theater is lowered, the men go out to take a drop.

Beware of Green Fruit

—Now in the heated term people should pay attention to their diet, avoiding unripe fruit and stale vegetables which invariably bring on cramp, cholera morbus, or diarrhoea. Children are particularly subject to complaints of this kind, and no mother can feel safe without having a bottle of PAIN-KILLER. It is a safe, sure and speedy cure. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis. Price 25c. and 50c.

Variety is the spice of life—especially an up-to-date variety show.

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Some of the leading actresses seem to have a fad for making a collection of husbands.

Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea After Thirty Years of Suffering.

"I suffered for thirty years with diarrhoea and thought I was past being cured. I had spent so much time and money and suffered so much that I had given up all hopes of recovery. I was so feeble from the effects of the diarrhoea that I could do no kind of labor, could not even travel, but by accident I was permitted to find a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and after taking several bottles I am entirely cured of this trouble. I am now as strong and robust as I am anxious that it be in reach of all who suffer as I have." For sale by The R. B. Loryea Drug Store, Isaac M. Loryea, Propr. b

It takes more than the bleachers to remove the stains from the empire's record.

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Yours truly,

THE PEOPLE'S MONEY SAVERS,

The Manning Grocery Company,

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

P. S.—We are expecting a car of Seed Oats any day.

Card.

MR. EDITOR: I desire to return my sincere thanks to the people of Clarendon for the fine vote they gave me in the recent primary, and to say to them that while I did not get quite enough votes to elect me, I have no complaints to make against any one, but attribute my defeat solely to the lack of votes. I went through the campaign without attempting to besmirch the character of any one and without saying an unkind word. I shall accept the decision of the people with cheerfulness, and when the general election comes on will go out to the polls like a man and support the nominees.
Respectfully,
W. J. TURBEVILLE.

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer of 1125 Howard St., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. "I feel like singing for joy," she writes, "and I feel like telling every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c and 75c. This bottle free at the R. B. Loryea Drug Store; every bottle guaranteed." b

A Card.

Conway, S. C., Sept. 17, 1900.
Editor MANNING TIMES:
Please allow me, through the columns of your paper to express to the people of Clarendon county my profound thanks for the magnificent vote given me on Sept. 11th inst. I want the people of your county to feel that in my election as their representative in Congress they have bestowed an honor upon one who will do all in his power to prove himself worthy of their confidence and who will use his utmost endeavors to promote their interest.

I feel humbled at this expression of esteem, and will never bring reproach on so generous a people.

Respectfully your obedient servant,
ROBT. B. SCARBOROUGH.

A Frightful Blander

Will often cause horrible burn, scald, cut or bruise. Butcher's Astringent Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. People everywhere are using it, especially for cuts, corns, all skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25c. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by the R. B. Loryea Drug Store. 1-5

Notice.

The County Democratic Executive Committee will meet at the court house on Saturday, September 29th, 1900, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of determining protests filed with me as county clerk, and against the result as appears on the face of the returns of the recent Democratic primary.
J. ELBERT DAVIS,
County Chairman.

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The soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a great favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief and as it contains no opium or other harmful drug, it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by The R. B. Loryea Drug Store, Isaac M. Loryea, Propr. b

The actions of the calcium man sometimes place the actors in a bad light.

The progressive nations of the world are the great food consuming nations. Good food well digested gives strength. If you cannot digest all you eat, you need Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat. You need not diet yourself. It contains all of the digestants combined with the best known tonics and re-constructives. It will even digest all classes of foods in a bottle. No other preparation will do this. It instantly relieves and quickly cures all stomach troubles. The R. B. Loryea Drug Store, Isaac M. Loryea, Propr. b

From Girlhood to Womanhood.

DON'T LET YOUR DAUGHTER have a wrong merging into womanhood. The greatest crisis in every girl's life is at this stage when the menstrual functions are being established, and she should have every provision obtainable for establishing this period properly, without which she can never become a perfect woman. Mothers, teach your daughters to confide in you. Explain their condition to them and watch over them as you would the most delicate plant, and as this most critical age draws near commence giving her

GERSTLE'S Female Panacea.

TRADE (G. F. F.) MARK.

It will establish the menstrual functions, restore the strength and give life and energy to the entire being. PRICE \$1.00 PER BOTTLE. This most critical age draws near commence giving her

My daughter was suffering from a severe bilious attack, together with great "bearing down" pains and back-ache during her monthly periods. She had violent nervous spells which produced peculiar quivering and jerking sensation. I bought a bottle of GERSTLE'S FEMALE PANACEA (G. F. F.) and some ST. JOSEPH'S LIVER REGULATOR and commenced treating her. All pains and biliousness were removed and her system restored. It is the best I ever saw for young girls.

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Your Head Aches To-day.

It is a small matter; but it ached two days ago, and again a week ago. You are acquiring a habit of headache. That must be stopped. The trouble is with your liver. You want a mild laxative, and then a tonic to stimulate the appetite and make the blood rich and pure.

Ask your druggist for **RAMON'S LIVER PILLS AND TONIC PELLETS.**

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Articles of all kinds, suitable for Wedding and Holiday Presents. Such goods have never been sold here before. Call and see them.

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